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TORONTO, May 2.—The libel suit of Vanzant, reeve of Markham township, against Mr. Hale, publisher of the Markham Sun, for $5,000 damages, in publishing a letter containing charges of indecency against the plaintiff, was tried on Thursday before eight justices of the peace. Four were for a verdict for the plaintiff and four against. They then agreed to leave the case to the county judge, who this morning gave judgment against the plaintiff.

The Militia Department has deemed it advisable to garrison Fort Wellington at Prescott, Ont., stationing No. 1 Company of the 56th battalion there. Nervous people attribute the action to the Fenian scare.

MONTREAL, May 1.—Bishop Fabre, the Catholic bishop of Montreal, is ill. Judge T. J. J. Loranger is reported dangerously ill.

The Imperial Federation movement is in progress. A committee meeting was held yesterday to confer with the deputation sent to Ottawa recently to meet members of the House. Their report having been submitted, it was resolved to hold a meeting to form in Montreal a branch of the Imperial Federation League in Canada on Saturday of next week.

MONTREAL, May. 1—Rev. Mr. Norton, of Christ Church, will, it is said, ignore the request to resign.

The Cauchon estate has entered an action for $72,000 against the Grand Trunk for illegal transfer of certain land near Lachine.

Small pox has broken out in a female academy here. Two cases have already developed.

TORONTO, May 1.—R. W. Dean, circulating agent of the World, was this morning charged in the police court with desecration of the Sabbath in selling newspapers to newsboys: The case was enlarged till Wednesday. Information will be laid against Dean, charging him with following his ordinary avocation on the Lord's Day.

The by-law requiring the separation of the sale of groceries and liquors goes into effect to-day. Many grocers have not applied for a license, while others have altered their premises to evade the law.

About 85 young English farmers arrived yesterday, and left last night for Winnipeg. They intend settling in the Northwest. It is said that others will soon follow.

WINNIPEG, May 1.—George Fisher, jr., denies emphatically, in a letter to the Free Press, that he is counsellor to Riel, and says his store at Batoche's was plundered with the rest.

Rev. D. M. Gordon, who left for the front this morning to join the 90th Battalion as chaplain, was given an enthusiastic send off at the depot. A few members of Knox church presented the pastor with a magnificent Colt's revolver, belt and ammunition.

Lieut. Swinford was delirious before he died yesterday. The poor fellow raved of the battle. Immediately on receipt of the news of his brother being wounded, Sidney Swinford, the youngest of the family, telegraphed to Gen. Middleton offering his services. They were accepted, and he has gone to the front. Captain Swinford, the eldest brother, is captain and quartermaster of the 90th Battalion and is stationed at Qu'Appelle.

OTTAWA, May 3.—Three members of the Government are confined to the House by sickness, namely, Tilley, Macpherson and Carling.

Elliot, Travis and Aikens are here, and are said to be pushing their respective claims to a Manitoba judgeship.

MONTREAL, May 5.—A week ago a clerk named Dedwell had a row with Thomas. Holden, billiard marker at the Windsor hotel, and struck him a severe blow in the nose. Holden, who was drinking at the time, continued doing so, and erysipelas set in, causing his death to-day.

A teacher in one of the Colchester, Ont., schools, ordered a pupil named Fox to come up to the desk and be punished. The youth refused and when the pedagogue attempted to enforce his order, drew a revolver and threatened to shoot him. The teacher was afraid to inflict punishment, and allowed the boy to have his own way until night, when a warrant was issued for his arrest. He evaded the officers and skipped to this city.

At the Middlesex Assizes yesterday, James and Alfred Henderson, two colored prisoners who escaped to Detroit and were captured there, and subsequently extradited back to London, were found guilty of stabbing Constable Nickle.

OTTAWA, May. 3.—There is considerable excitement about the discussion on the Franchise Bill. The debate was continued from three o'clock on Thursday till Saturday night at twelve making fifty-seven hours of a continous sitting. The discussion was confined to the clause giving the Indians a vote. On Friday morning at 4 o'clock the Opposition offered to allow seventeen interpretation sections to pass on condition that the committe rise. Sir Hector Langevin indignantly refused, saying that the government was strong enough to force the measure through. A hot discussion ensued, the Opposition condemning the tyrannical course of the government. In answer to Mr. Miller, Sir John said that when the territories were given representation the Indians on the reserve could vote, even Poundmaker, Big Bear and Pi-a-pot. The Opposition took decided exception, contending that no Indian should be given a vote unless free to exercise it, and in control of full civil rights as white men. Mr. Mills moved an amendment in accordance with this sence. The government supporters refused to discuss the question, hoping to exhaust the Opposition. The Opposition sarcastically pointed out that the government refused to give women the vote while extending it to the red-handed murderers of women and children. At eleven on Saturday morning Mr. Patterson of Brant, renewed the motion that the committee rise, when the government again refused. After six on Saturday, the government put up Landry, Spaul and Foster to reply. They took up time till half past eleven. Sir John then spoke till ten minutes to twelve, expecting to wind up the debate, but to his surprise Mr. Blake jumped up for the first time, and for the remaining ten minutes made a magnificent effort, amidst the cheers of his followers and the enthusiasm of the crowds in the galleries. The motion that the committee rise was carried, and the House adjourned. The government having refused the offer to allow the seventeen sections to pass, no progress has been made. The Opposition are full of fight.

Development of a New Incandescent Light.

A new incandescent light has made its appearance in the lighting field, and if it equals what is claimed for it, is calculated to greatly disturb investors in both gas and electric stocks. The light is said to be more brilliant than gas or electricity and costing very much less than either, It is produced from "water gas" and crystallized magnesium. The Progressive Age says: In the demonstrations we witnessed a large hall was used, all the ordinary gas lights were turned on, and those present pronounced the hall well lighted; then these were turned down and the water gas was turned on through incandescent burners, producting such a flood of light as astonished the expectant spectators, one gentleman from Boston saying, "I expected to see something pretty fine, but must confess I was not prepared for this." After a while the ordinary gas lights were turned on, but, although the illuminating gas used was the best quality of water gas, the light added was hardly appreciable, nor was any dimniution noticeable when these gaslights are turned down. These incandescent burners vary in candle-power, according to size, from 10 to 100 candles, and were indestructible. They require no adjusting and need no renewals after putting in place; and are beautiful in design and can be sold so as to come within reach of every one using light. As to the cost of the light itself, we can state that a sixty hours' test proved that light equal to twenty-candle-power can be furnished at a cost of one cent per hour and still afford a large profit to the producer. While this improvement dispenses with the great objection to all gases, it is important to state that the method can only be used with the fuel water gas, on account of the large percentage of carbonic oxide contained in the gas. The carbonic is the necessary element to make this light power possible. Without this element this new system of incandescent lighting could not succeed.

Customs and Legal Blanks

Of every description for sale at *The Colonist* office.

NORTHWEST REBELLION.

Latest Mail Advices.

BATTLEFORD, May 1.—All is tranquil. The residents have returned to their houses and are endeavoring to restore order out of the chaos produced by the raid of the Indians. The result of the visit of the redskins was seen in the wrecks of furniture, provisions, sheds and houses.

HUMBOLDT, N. W. T., May 1.—A courier just arrived from Prince Albert reports all quiet. Tidings of the Fish Creek battle had not arrived there yet. It is supposed the couriers from General Middleton's camp have been captured.

Word was received here yesterday from a man named Pierson, a freighter between Medicine Hat and McLeod, that all his horses had been stolen last night by Indians. He left here last Monday with a full load of goods on his return trip to McLeod. He had got only twenty miles out when his horses were stolen. He is left in a bad fix. Instances of horses being stolen by Indians are reported almost every day.

Strange bands of Indians are reported to have been seen at different times during the past week roaming over the prairie in close proximity to the town. It is certain, although the Indians report themselves loyal to the government, that they are becoming saucier every day and run off bands of horses and cattle in broad daylight, the settlers being afraid to give chase.

At McLeod, all the Indian prisoners were given their liberty. They have killed cattle there, and the authorities are afraid to arrest and prosecute them. Indians have crossed over the border, it is said, for the purpose of trying to induce their American brethren to take up arms and join them in helping Riel.

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the matter of the Dominion Saw Mill Company, Limited, or Trading Corporation, having its head office at the City of New Westminster.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO a certain order this day made herein by the Honorable Mr. Justice McCreight, that a petition was this day presented to this Honorable Court at New Westminster, under the statutes in that behalf, for an order for the winding up of the said Company; that the further hearing of the said petition was adjourned to Monday, the Eighteenth day of May instant, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the Court House, New Westminster, when the said order will be applied for, and if made, a liquidator will be appointed, and that this publication shall, pursuant to the said order, be deemed sufficient notice of the premises under the said statutes to all persons, including Creditors, Contributors, Shareholders, or members of the said Company.

New Westminster, May 1st, 1885.
CORBOULD & McCOLL,
Solicitors for Henry Valentine Edmonds, the Petitioner.

The address of the said Petitioner is the City of New Westminster, and the address of his said Solicitors is Mackenzie street, in said city. my5 2t

ESTATE OF THOMAS CHARLES, DECEASED

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the above estate are requested to hand them in to the undersigned forthwith; and all persons owing the said estate will please make prompt payment to HAMILTON MOFFATT, Executor

Victoria, B.C., April 17th, 1885. ap18 2m

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

TENDERS FOR ENGINE HOUSES AT NORTH BEND AND PORT MOODY.

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned at Ottawa for Engine Houses at North Bend and for Engine House at Port Moody will be received until noon on

26th Day of May, 1885,

Plans and Specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained in Victoria, at the office of the Dominion Government Agent, on and after the 1st of May.

Separate tenders must be made for each Engine House, addressed as above.

Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit in cash, or by a cheque marked good, equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender.

If the tender is not accepted the deposit will be returned.

Tenders must be made on the printed forms supplied.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

A. P. BRADLEY,
Secretary Dept. of Railways and Canals.
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fe20*3mw On the premises.

STEAM BOILER FOR SALE.

A SECOND-HAND BOILER 12 FEET IN LENGTH 26 inches in diameter, in good serviceable condition. For particulars, address or apply to
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NOTICE OF CALL.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, Shareholders are hereby notified that the fourth Call of $50 per share is due and payable at the office of the Company, WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of May 1885.

JOHN J. AUSTIN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Victoria Theatre Co's Office,
The Colonist Building, Government st.,
27th April, 1885. ap28 1m

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ESTATE OF THE LATE WALTER ROSS HOUGH.

PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE estate will render them to the undersigned on or before the 1st June next; and all debtors to the estate are requested to pay their liabilities to
PETER STEELE, Executor.
Victoria, 22nd April, 1885. ap23td

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Intending shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipments.

Freight for shipment by her is requested to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock P. M. on Saturday, May 9th.

For Freight and Passage apply to
my6 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

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UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE THE PASSENGER Rate between VICTORIA and

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By the Steamers of the above Company.

JOHN MUIR, Traffic Manager
C. E. CLANCEY, Agent.
ROBERT IRVING, Victoria Agent.
April 1st 1885. ap1

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9th April, 1885. ap10 1m

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR DOMINION LAND SURVEYORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A MEETing of the Board of Examiners for Dominion Land Surveyors will be held at Victoria on the Eleventh May, Eighteen Eighty-Five.

Candidates desirous of presenting themselves before the Board will please give notice of their intention to H. S. Roebuck, Secretary, office of the Dominion Government Agent.

Any person who may show to the satisfaction of the Board that he has practiced as Provincial Land Surveyor in British Columbia before the first of January, Eighteen Eighty-five, shall be entitled to the privilege granted by clause ninety-five and sub-clause two of the Dominion Lands Act.

This privilege shall not be granted at subsequent meetings of the Board. Copies of the Dominion Lands Act may be had on application to Mr Roebuck.

E. DEVILLE, Surveyor-General,
ap10 Chairman.



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TENDERS.

NOTICE.

TO CARPENTERS & CONTRACTORS.

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS, PROPERLY endorsed, will be received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of FRIDAY, 15th May, for the erection, at each place, of 8 School-house at Port Moody and at Stave River.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and forms for tender obtained at the Government Office, New Westminster, or from the School Trustees at the places designated.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 30th April, 1885. my1td
[Columbian copy.]

NOTICE.

TO ROAD CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of MONDAY, 1st June next, for the construction of a Waggon Road via Marble Canon and Hat Creek, to connect the Lillooet Road with the Cariboo Trunk Road.

Specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of the undersigned, at the Government Office, Clinton, or from Mr. James Campbell, Cache Creek.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., 30th April, 1885. my1 1m
(Inland Sentinel copy.)

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS ARE REQUIRED FOR THE FOLlowing works:—

1st. For four frame residences to be situated at James Bay. Tenders received up to noon of FRIDAY, 8th May.

2nd. For a block of three-story brick buildings, facing Fisgard street. Tenders received up to noon of SATURDAY, 9th May.

Plans, etc., may be seen on and after Thursday, 30th inst. Lowest or any tenders will not be necessarily accepted.

JOHN TEAGUE,
ap29 Architect, Government street.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH BELL TOWER, NEW WESTMINSTER.

TENDERS FOR THE ERECTION OF THE above will be received by Robert Dickinson, Esq., New Westminster, up to May 9th. Specifications to be seen at the office of
WOODS, TURNER & GAMBLE,
New Westminster,
And CROASDAILE & JONES, Victoria.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
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NOTICE

POINT ELLICE BRIDGE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE DATE upon which tenders wil be received for the construction of a Bridge at Point Ellice has been postponed to THURSDAY, 7th May.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 21st April, 1885. ap22

ESTATE OF JOHN CASTINEAU,

DECEASED, INTESTATE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE estate will please to pay at once, and all claims against the said estate are requested to be sent (duly proved) to the undersigned.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Administrator,
Victoria, April 16, 1885. ap17 3m

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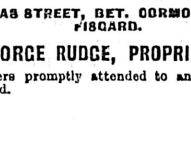
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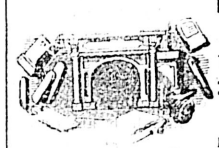
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Daily Colonist.

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A SHARP FIGHT AND A LONG SITTING.

Canadian papers supply particulars of a recent long and exciting sitting of the house of commons over the Franchise bill. On May 2nd the house sat 55 consecutive hours. The question under discussion was that part of the Franchise bill respecting the granting of voting power to Indians. It came up on the interpretation of that clause: "That is to say, a 'person' is described as a male person, married or unmarried, including an Indian, or a female person, unmarried or a widow." About 9 o'clock at night the Conservative members brought into the house part of their bed-clothes and went to sleep. This was for the purpose of carrying out the threat made in the corridors that an adjournment would not be made until such time as the interpretation clause had passed the committee. Mr. Blake made a violent speech claiming that the clause was the most outrageous and grossest piece of infamy ever introduced into the parliament of any civilized country. According to the statute, Indians who had proved themselves worthy of citizenship had already a vote, but the government now proposed to extend the power to vote to those who were wards of the government and in receipt of state aid. He said that it was impossible to grant them the franchise in so far as that constituted citizenship, while in the present instance the Indians were as much tied hands and feet by the superintendent-general of Indian affairs—and in this case Sir John Macdonald was superintendent-general—as ever they were, yet they were to be allowed to vote. Mr. Mills and Mr. Patterson, of Brant, followed in the same strain, the latter moving in amendment: That the committee should rise, advancing reasons why this should be done. Mr. McMullen followed, speaking to the amendment. He referred to the deplorable and critical situation in the Northwest, and advocated that business of the utmost importance should only be attended to, so that the ministers could give their undivided attention to the rebellion in the Northwest, seeing that a lamentable destruction of life had already taken place. The chairman sprang to his feet and called him to order. Mr. Edgar appealed to the house against the decision of the chair. The chairman and government held that the appeal was to the committee of the whole. Mr. Blake and the opposition held that the appeal was to the house with the speaker in the chair. The discussion went on for several hours and at last Sir John called on the speaker to resume his seat. Mr. Tasse, the chairman, in reporting the case to the speaker, merely presented it by saying that Mr. McMullen was speaking of the rebellion and not to the amendment. The speaker in resuming the chair put the appeal, when a vote was taken at 2 o'clock. The chairman's ruling being sustained by a party vote, and the house again went into committee, where they may still be for aught that we know.

FORECASTING THE FUTURE.

In the Monthly Financial Circular of Henry Clews & Co., of New York, we find one of the calmest and most reasonable statements that we remember to have seen of the effect of the British-Russian difficulty in its relation to American commerce. The circular refers to the magnitude of the apprehended contest, which directly involves the interests of 335,000,000 people, and indirectly of all the world—a conflict "representing on the one side advanced ideas of political liberty, and on the other the sole principle of military ambition and despotism." The circular admits that the British government is doing everything consistent with national honor to avert or to postpone war, but it so far doubts the willingness or the ability of the Russian government to arrest the war feeling that it accepts the general opinion that war is inevitable and proceeds to consider the effect of war upon American trade. As depression in the home trade and the closing of some foreign markets to English manufactures would reduce the prices of the latter, the circular reasons that the United States would buy what they need more cheaply than at present. It does not consider that the United States' cotton crop would benefit any, but it believes American wheat would be enhanced in value. The shipping trade of the United States, it maintains, would be acted upon beneficially; first-class American investments would be preferred; and a speculative rise on the stock exchange might be expected. Henry Clews & Co. think that independent of war considerations the commercial condition of the United States is steadily improving, existing depression being confined to the manufacturing States, affairs in the agricultural States having mended considerably.

THE NEWS.

The Northwest news is very gratifying. Gen. Middleton forced the fighting and whipped the rebels after a desperate resistance. A dispatch received at midnight states that the rebels are surrounded and must either surrender or die. The citizen-soldiers have done nobly, and British Columbians may well be proud to acknowledge allegiance to a government whose sons have fought so well in defence of their country's honor. It is to be hoped that Riel and Dumont will be among the captured and that there is a sufficiency of rope with the expedition to secure each a hempen cravat. Mr. Gladstone announced yesterday that a satisfactory arrangement with Russia had been arrived and that there will be no war. Lord Hartington announced the withdrawal of the British from the Soudan; and "war's alarums" in England and elsewhere may be regarded as over—for the present.

LAKE HILL.—Mr. Ralph, C. E., has completed the subdividing and marking of the corner posts of this valuable estate, and the property will soon be placed upon the market at private sale on exceptionally favorable terms; a most advantageous view of the land, together with the adjoining estates, Swan Lake and Victoria can be had from Lake Hill heights which are easy of access; prices of each plot of about five acres will be given upon application after the 30th April. Subdivision maps can be seen at our office. District maps of the location can be had on application.

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IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

The Government Explain the Position in Egypt.

Gladstone Moves the Second Reading of Credit.

The Conservatives Make a Most Bitter Attack.

Gladstone would Sacrifice Anything for Himself.

Vote of Censure Defeated by a Small Majority.

(Exclusive to The Colonist.)

LONDON, May 11.—In the house today, speaking of Soudan matters, Lord Hartington said Lord Wolseley had advised the government to retire to Assoun from the Soudan. Gen. Wolseley attached great importance to sending armed boats to Egypt to be used in patroling the Nile. The government had no intention, the speaker said, of evacuating Suakim until some arrangement can be effected for holding it against hostile Arabs either by England or some other civilized nation. At present Suakim could not be held without a fight. Osman Digma, El Mahdi's chief lieutenant for many months past has been besieging the place and has frequently declared himself determined upon driving the garrison into the Red Sea. Therefore the holding of Suakim was a military and not a political question. In regard to a project of a railway from Suakim to Berber, Lord Hartington said he was unable to state what was the definite intention of the government, but he thought he would soon be able to make a statement of their intention.

Henry Chaplin, conservative, for Lincolnshire, asked how much the government had spent on the Khartoum expedition, and if the sum was greater than the £22,500,000 mentioned in the £55,000,000 credit as sum required for Soudan account?

Gladstone replied that the government had already spent a great deal of money in the Soudan, but were unable to say at present whether any portion of the £22,500,000 would be saved. Gladstone then moved for the second reading of the consolidated fund bill (the £55,000,000 credit) and urged his motion in a speech in which he declared he was unable to understand the differences which existed on this subject between the oppposition and the government. He urged the house to avoid every unnecessary issue just now and not pass judgment on the conduct of the government.

No sooner had Mr. Gladstone quit speaking than the conservatives heaped upon him and his government the bitterest attack within their power to make. This was led by Lord Francis Hamilton who is being strongly pushed forward by tories as leader in the commons. He was under secretary for India from 1874 to 1878 and spoke with some degree of authority. He secured the occasion for making his attack by moving consideration of the amendment given notice of by Sir Stafford Northcote, present conservative leader in the commons, on Friday. This amendment is on the second reading of the consolidated fund bill for a fresh vote of censure against the government, and concludes in the following words: "The house having shown their readiness to vote supplies refuse their assent until informed of the present policy and purpose for which the money to be granted is to be applied."

Lord Hamilton in moving the consideration of this amendment said "The right honorable Marquis of Hartington, secretary of state for war, has just made the most extraordinary statement which ever fell from a minister in this house. After announcing their intention of taking Khartoum the government had announced to-night the abandonment of the Soudan. After having murdered six or ten thousand men yet the government expects this house to acquiesce silently in their policy. The greatest danger to the country is the incapacity of the men in office. (Conservative cheers) The government have surrendered every one of the questions at issue between Russia and England. The prime minister has altogether abandoned the attitude by which the government obtained the vote of credit. The great objection I have to the premier's policy is that from the very day he assumed office until now he has shown a readiness to sacrifice anybody and anything to save himself. (Cries of "hear, hear!")

Chamberlain, president of the board of trade, taunted Lord Geo. Hamilton with inconsistency in asking for information from the government that could be relied on. Chamberlain said the house would be unable to adequately judge the action of the government until all the papers in the case were presented. He said that the object of Sir Peter Lumsden's mission had to a great extent been achieved and was glad to find Lord George Hamilton advocating the position that faith should not be placed in Russia and that the only course was to go to war. The general election would remind the opposition of their policy and it would then be seen whether the country was tired of peace.

Lord Hamilton's motion was defeated 290 to 260. The majority consisted entirely of Liberals. The Parnellites voted with the minority. The house received the result rather listlessly.

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Liberty's Friends.

NEW YORK, May 8.—The World on the subject of pedestal fund, says: "While the servant girls, the 'long-shoremen, the newsboys, the clerks, the car-drivers, the hardworked and poorly-paid employes, laborers and toilers are aiding day by day out of their scanty means to the Bartholdi pedestal fund, we do not hear that the bank presidents, the railroad stock-holders, the hotel proprietors, the speculators, the retired millionaires, the plumbers, the society swells, the office holders, the politicians and the independent well-to-do men and women of society, have, as a class, turned their hands over on the cause."

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH

EXCLUSIVE DISPATCHES TO THE COLONIST.

THE RIEL REBELLION.

More Troops Sent to the Front.

Reported that Rebels are Overcome and Surrounded.

Surrender Demanded or Annihilation.

WINNIPEG, May 11.—The wire is still down between Qu'Appelle and Humboldt, and there is no further word from the fort. Great anxiety is felt. A Saskatchewan landing despatch says: An order was issued last night by Gen. Lowrie here that the entire corps of the Seventh Fusiliers and two companies of the Midland battalion should proceed at once to Clark's Crossing. They left this morning at eight o'clock on twelve barges. The force numbers nearly 350 men, under command of Col. Deacon. They expect to reach Clark's in about five days. Two companies of the Halifax battalion will leave Swift Current for this point to-night, reaching here to-morrow evening, and will remain till further orders. Another small detachment of mounted men have gone from Birtle to join Col. Boulton.

WINNIPEG, May 11.—Private advices from Qu'Appelle say that trouble is still apprehended from the Indiams in that vicinity. There is strong enough force for defence there.

WINNIPEG, May 11.—A dispatch was received to-night from the front which states that the fight with the rebels was resumed yesterday morning, and that the rebels were completely overcome and surrounded by the troops, and that Middleton had demanded their immediate surrender on pain of absolute annihilation. There is great rejoicing here over what appears from disjointed dispatches to be a victory.

OTTAWA, May 11.—In the house of commons Sir John Macdonald said that an incomplete account of the fight at Duck lake had been received, but that further particulars had been asked for. He also said the government was considering the question of a vote for the relief of settlers in the Northwest who had been driven from their homes and had their property destroyed by the rebels.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Particulars Regarding the Loss of the S. S. Helvetia.

MONTREAL, May 11.—Munderloh has received further particulars concerning loss of the steamer Helvetia of the White Cross line. She was badly bulged by an encounter with ice and on Thursday last telegraphed her condition. She was lost sight of until yesterday when it was learned she had gone down bow first off Scatterie island on Friday in deep water. She at first tried to make Sydney, C. B., and found that harbor packed with ice. She then tried to follow the German steamship Kehrweider but lost the latter in a fog. To make matters worse the sails that Capt. Schoonhoven had stretched over the vessel's bow was torn away in a second encounter with the ice. Still he fought against the fog and wind and had good luck until he met the steamer Acadian, by which time he had stretched more canvas over the extensive hole. The Acadian took the Helvetia in tow and tried to make the port of Hawkesbury. The Helvetia had then 16 feet of water. The cargo was thrown overboard and the men worked hard to keep the vessel afloat. At last with 19 feet of water in the vessel the captain abandoned her. The cargo was valued at $400,000.

CABLE NEWS.

Hunger Among Egyptian Troops at Kassala.

Protocol of Peace Signed between France and C .

EGYPT.

SUAKIM, May 11.—Egyptian troops at Kassala are compelled to eat donkeys to relieve their hunger. The governor of Kassala rejects all appeals of the garrison to attempt to escape from the town.

CHINA.

SHANGHAI, May 11.—It is reported on good authority that the representatives of France and China have signed a protocol of peace at Tiertsin.

FRANCE.

PARIS, May 11.—Le Monde's correspondent at Rome states that the Pope has selected Monsignor Moran, Archbishop of Sydney, for the Dublin Archbishopric.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, May 11.—Wheat firm; a fair demand; holders offered moderately; corn firm, in fair demand.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Hard Times in the Isle of Cuba.

Five Negroes Killed in a Gambling Row.

CUBA.

NEW YORK, May 11.—A Havana (Cuba) letter says: Four hundred acres uncut cane on the estate "Union" at Recree were recently burned. Over 45 houses were burned at Mayahguese.

Advices from Porto Rico says a committee of the provincial deputation waited on the Governor General and after setting forth the unfortunate situation in which the island is placed, owing to the prevailing financial crisis, requested him to endeavor to induce the government to abolish export duties on sugars at once.

EASTERN STATES.

SAVANNAH, May 11.—Meagre details have been received here of the killing of five negroes in a dispute over a game of cards at Popot's Mill, about 40 miles south of this city. The country is being scoured by a posse in search of the murderers, two of whom have been arrested. Threats of lynching are made.

YESTERDAY'S DISPATCHES.

Peace Not to be Broken.

An Arrangement Arrived at.

Advance on Khartoum Abandoned.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, May 11.—Mr. Gladstone announced that he was about to lay before the house of commons some most important papers in regard to the foreign policy of England in her relations with Afghanistan. Mr. Gladstone then stated that an arrangement had been effected between Earl Granville, foreign secretary, Earl Kimberley, secretary for India, Baron De Staal, Russian minister to England, and M. Lessar, special Russian agent at London, in regard to the Afghan frontier, that this arrangement was satisfactory to Her Majesty's government and to Earl Dufferin, viceroy of India. He hoped the arrangement would be made subject to convention with Russia

The trial of Cunningham and Burton for alleged complicity in the dynamite outrages at Westminster Hall and the Tower of London, began this morning in central criminal court.

In the house this afternoon, Lord Hartington said the government had resolved to make Wady Halfa the most advanced position, as a permanent defence of Egypt. British troops would be withdrawn as soon as the Nile rises. It is expected that the rising will occur about the end of May. The withdrawal of the troops involves abandonment of engagement to advance to Khartoum. This statement was received with cheers from the government benches. Efforts are to be made, said the war secretary, to establish an administration in the province of Dongola and to complete the Nile railway as a commercial enterprise.

LONDON, May 11.—12:30 p. m.—Consuls opened at 98⅞ for both accounts. Stocks firm.

1:30 p. m.—Consols, 98 13-16.

4:30 p. m.—Consols, 99 1-16 for both.

AFGHANISTAN.

SIMLA, May 11.—According to the report in circulation here the Ameer has bound himself ts insist upon the frontier passing through three points, the names of which the government refuses to disclose. Pendjeh, however, is one of the places. The Ameer desires the joint boundary commission to examine Oxus valley also.

LONDON, May 11.—Dispatches from Teheran says that Ameer of Bokhara urges the Shah of Persia to release Ayoub Khan.

RUSSIA.

ODESSA, May 11.—The railway plant which had been collected for a Russian line from the Caucasus to the Black Sea, has been diverted to the construction of a straight line from Vladekaukaz to Petroffski, on the Caspian Sea.

INDIA.

CALCUTTA, May 11.—An official statement from Earl Dufferin approving of Gladstone's policy would do much to reassure the public here, but the viceroy remains silent.

TURKEY.

VARNA, May 11.—It is stated that Fehmi Pasha's recall is due to the influence of the Turkish minister at St. Petersburg and the Russian minister at Constantinople, who believed the recall would have a good effect on the settlement of the Afghan difficulty.

CANADA.

QUEBEC, May 10.—There are about two dozen steamers now due here, one, two and even three steamers of some of the lines being behind time. Such an occurrence has hitherto been unknown in the history of this port. From all accounts ice in the gulf is unusually heavy, and blocks the usual gulf route to this port. It is generally anticipated that in addition to the steamer Helvetia, a number of other vessels will be found to have met with rough treatment by the ice.

Eastern Canada Mail.

Per Northern Pacific Railway.

OTTAWA, April 30.—It is with unfeigned regret we have to announce the death of Duncan A. Haggart, only child of John Haggart, M. P. for South Lanark, which sad event occurred at his father's residence at Perth, last night at 9:00 o'clock, after a long illness from typhoid fever. He was in his 23rd year, a student in the law office of McCarthy, Osler & Creelman, of Toronto, and in every respect a young man of very great promise.

LONDON, April 30.—A child's hat has been found in the river near where the Victoria went down, which Mr. Shaddock identified as the one which his missing daughter wore on the day she left home in company with the late Albert Brooks. There is little doubt now as to the fate of the unfortunate girl, and the father expects by dragging the river to find the body ere long.

At the assizes to-day Richard Rigold, alias Jos. Armstrong, a farmer living in Adelaide township, was tried for forging the name of Robt. Barker to the title deed of a farm in Adelaide township with intent to obtain a loan of $3,200 on the property. Messrs. Wm. Smith of Adelaide township, Jas. Noble, J. P., Strathroy, German insurance agent of Strathroy, A. W. Harrison, financial and real estate agent, of Toronto, and Mr. E. Maitland, of Strathroy, all swore that their names, which were attached to the documents, were forgeries, and that the handwriting was that of the prisoner, so far as their knowledge of his handwriting extended. When arrested two letters relative to the Barker forgery were found on the prisoner addressed to Richard Rigold. The jury returned a verdict of guilty.

TORONTO, April 30.—Deputy chief MacPherson, who has been connected with the police force for 29 years has resigned, owing to ill health. He retires on an annuity of $800. He is succeeded by assistant deputy chief Stewart.

The total amount of customs duties collected at this port for April was $223,118.12, being a decrease of $5,920.36 as compared with April last year.

HALIFAX, April 29.—The Mayoralty contest to day resulted in the re-election of Mayor Mackintosh by 550 majority, the largest majority ever given to a mayor in Halifax city. The issue was largely on the temperance question, the liquor dealers having combined against Mackintosh and run Seeton as their candidate. The result is a severe blow to the liquor dealers' combination.

THE following members of the *St. John's Ladies' Aid Society* will thankfully receive any contributions to their Old English Market: Mrs. Jenns, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Rout Harvey, Mrs. R. Byrn, Mrs. Kent, Mrs. Saunders, Mrs. Blaiklock, Mrs. E. M. Johnson.

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THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE SUBSISTing between the undersigned, David Holmes and John M Spinks, trading at Somenos in the District of Cowichan, as farmers, sawmill owners and traders, under the firm of Holmes & Spinks, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All the debts and liabilities of the said firm will be paid and discharged and the business will be carried on by the said David Holmes, to whom all accounts and moneys due and owing to the said firm are to be paid.

Dated 23rd April, 1885. D. HOLMES, JOHN M. SPINKS.

Witness to the signatures of the said D. Holmes and J. M. Spinks J. F. C. MCKENELLEY. myl2dw3t

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Witnessed by— MOSES LENZ.

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Victoria, May 5th, 1885. my5

CARD OF THANKS.

I WISH TO THANK THOSE OF THE NAVY Yard, the officers and crew of H. M. S. Satellite and the citizens of Esquimalt for their untiring efforts to save my building from destruction by fire yesterday. WM. ROTHWELL.

Esquimalt, May 5th, 1885. my5

CARD OF THANKS.

I DESIRE TO THANK THE DOCKYARD AND Naval authorities, also the citizens of Esquimalt, for their kind assistance rendered me in saving my property from destruction by fire this afternoon.

J. T. HOWARD.

Esquimalt, May 4th, 1885. my5

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TAPESTRY, BRUSSELS and SOFA CARPETS,

fe26 Etc., Etc., Etc.

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TUESDAY MORNING, MAY 12TH, 1885.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED

May 11—Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend
Str Queen of the Pacific, Pt Townsend
Bk Cambrian Prince, London

CLEARED.

May 11—Str Geo. E Starr, Pt Townsend
Str Queen of the Pacific, San Francisco

PASSENGERS.

Per ss QUEEN OF THE PACIFIC, for San Fran. Miss H Russell, Mrs A Bunster, Chas Bunster, Master J Bunster, P H Gray, P Hankin, sr, P Hankin, jr, W T Ross, Mrs Wm Johns, Mrs Ellen Wilson, Mrs Runk, T R Grimwood, P Nash, Miss Rothschild, Miss Raleman, W H and Mrs Dormer, R Dunsmuir, E Dunn, W Perkins, W S Perkins, F L McKenzie, W Fairbairn, J M Rosewall, Miss Bushby, Mrs Bushby, Mrs Bullen.

Per str GEO. E. STARR, from Puget Sound—Cummings, wf and 2 boys, J Merneagh, H McGlone, G Howe, R Russell, N Swanson, J Dyer, Capt Siward, F Woods, A Seeder, J Jackson, C Campbell, D Russell and wf, Mrs Towle and ch, L Levy, Newman, W Burritt, J A VanLeven, W C Bailey, T Marroway and wf, M Anderson, O H Malcomb, Dr. Ellis, Mitchell, 3 Chinese.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str GEO. E. STARR, from Puget Sound—Chas Buck, Neufelder & Ross, A Saunders, T Nicholson, Marvin & Tilton, T Carrington, P McQuade, Oppenheimer Bros, A Onderdonk, H L Tibbals, C Butler.

MARRIED.

In this city, on the 11th inst., by the Rev. Robert Stephen, W. H. Dorman to Jane Hamilton Dickson.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

WOLF & SCOONES will sell at 11 o'clock, on the premises, Yates street, Household Furniture, etc.

Letters Detained for Postage at Victoria P. O.

MAY 11, 1885.

Mrs. Keelay, Sooke
Fong Sing Tai, San Francisco
F. S. Hayter, Sydney, Aus.
W. L Amiss, Seattle
A. J. Moustt, Burrard Inlet
C. E. Warren, Detroit, Mich.
Stearns & Worden, San Francisco
Andrew Trimble, Sydney, Aus.
Capt. Dodds (Bk Nanaimo) Shanghai
J. E. Pugh, Pt Discovery
Mrs. J. D. Redding, San Francisco
Mrs. C. Wysick, Madura, Cal.
Mrs. Colley, Melbourne, Aus.
Mrs. C. Hasterman, Halifax, N.S.
C. E. Naylor, San Francisco
W. Williams, City
Kwong Loon Chong, Portland
Mrs. Innes, Esquimalt
Wm. Thomas, Cassiar
Kwong On Lung, (2) Portland
Wah Chong, Seattle
C. Smith, Chemainus
H. Marriner, Cowichan
Louisa Harrison, Melbourne, Aus.
J. Gilmore, Nicola Valley
C. Newell, Portland
J. E. Merritt, Woodriver, Idaho
John Gower, Menlo Park, Cal.
G. B. Dolbell, San Francisco
John Lomas, Sydney, Aus.
G. F. D Simpson, New Westminster
Quong On Lung, New Westminster
Hong Dack Chong, Portland

THE WEEKLY COLONIST.

The attention of subscribers is directed to the announcement in another column. The weekly edition of this paper is now permanently enlarged to Eight Pages or 64 columns of solid reading matter. While making this announcement we are also enabled to state that the subscription rates are reduced to the following scale:

For one year....................$2.50
For six months.................. 1.50
For three months.. 75

Postage to any part of the Dominion, the United States and the United Kingdom will be FREE. Remittances may be made in money order, draft, postage stamps or cash.

Passengers Coming.

The Geo. W. Elder left San Francisco on Sunday for Victoria with the following passengers: Miss Ducorron, W H King, Geo Freeman, A M Freeman, H Bernstein, Iven Brink and wife, Geo H Matfield, Gen Gordon, G Hill, F H Wheeland, G W Abbott, R Evans, Miss R Gales, R Wilson, Chang Gee.

Personal.

Mr. Gavin Burns in pronounced out of danger.

Mons. Hiller, German composer and pianist, is dead.

Mr. John A. Webster, of New Westminster, is at the Driard.

Special Notice.

The steamer Eliza Anderson will resume her regular trips from Victoria to Port Townsend and Seattle, commencing Wednesday at two o'clock. *

All Should See

the beautiful Oleographs and Oil Paintings at T. N. HIBBEN & Co.'s. *

B. C.'s ADVANCED VEGETATION.—An Ottawa correspondent of the Montreal Herald says: "Mr. A. W. Ross, M. P., received and posted up for public admiration some maple leaves, which were sent him from British Columbia. They were picked on the 11th of April, and one of them, which I examined, measured ten inches across and eight from the point of the leaf to its junction with the stalk. A gentleman present, fired with zeal for his province's reputation, protested that Ontario could do as well as that, and asked if there were not some maple trees near the buildings. On being answered in the affirmative, he was about to procure proof of his contention, but, after a minute's consideration, decided to leave the question open till summer.

ALASKA COAST SURVEY.—The United States steamship Carlisle P. Patterson, Capt. Clover, left Esquimalt early Sunday morning en route for Fort Wrangel, Alaska. Here she will commence the suavey of the American coast northward. The Patterson is a handsome vessel of 700 tons and thoroughly equipped for the work she will engage in. The furnishings are of a luxurious and elegant character, and every comfort is provided for her officers and crew. She will be piloted through the winding waters of the north by Mr. E. H. Francis, son of Mr. Allan Francis, late American consul at this port.

A SOCIAL MEETING will be held in the First Presbyterian church school room on Wednesday 13th inst. at 8 p. m. sharp. Admission, including tea and cake, 25 cts. You are invited. *

IMPROVED farms in various localities for sale by Rand & Lipsett, Real Estate Brokers, Victoria. *

PLAQUES, Round, Oval and Square in great variety at T. N. HIBBEN & Co.'s. *

LAWN TENNIS SETS AT FERGUSON'S.

ATTEMPTED MURDER.

Captain R. A. Marden Stabbed and Clubbed.

He is Saved by a Leather Pocketbook.

Highbinders Supposed to be the Assailants.

At nine o'clock last evening a bold and most dastardly attempt at murder was committed in this city. Capt. R. A. Marden, of San Francisco, an important witness in the Kwong Lee case, at present being tried in the supreme court, was

ATTACKED FROM BEHIND

while proceeding through Trounce alley to the Driard, and only providentially escaped death from the knife of the assassin. The captain had an engagement at the Adelphi, and started from the hotel about 8:30. He proceeded along Broad street and down Yates street to the saloon, and in a few minutes crossed over to the opposite side of Government street, and along it to the alley. He had only reached a short distance above McNiffe's saloon when two men walked towards him from the alleyway leading to Yates street. He took no notice of them, however, but just as he reached the fence, placed in the alley to prevent the passage of vehicles, he instinctively turned round and discovered the two men immediately behind him, one with his arm drawn back and

A LONG KNIFE GLEAMING

in the electric light. He at once wheeled and threw up his arm and cane to defend himself. This was done just as the blow was descending. The knife struck him just below the heart, cutting through his coat and cutting into the leather cover of his pocketbook, to which fact he owes his life. The blow was a savage one, and

CUT A BIG GASH

well into the leather; at the same time the second man struck him on the back of the head with a club or sand-bag, and the victim staggered up against the brick wall calling "murder, police." At this the assassins who evidently thought they had accomplished their purpose ran down the alley-way to Yates street. The captain staggered hatless into McNiffe's saloon, and told what had occurred. Several gentlemen went out but, of course, could find

NO TRACE OF THE ASSASSINS.

The captain's hat was found at the foot of the fence, battered in, and his cane shattered into pieces, whether from the blow of the knife or the club he cannot tell. His was a most miraculous escape for had he not fortunately looked behind he would undoubtedly have been stabbed in the back to the heart, as it was the intention of his assailants to do so. Though suffering from the shock he is unhurt. Everything was done so quickly that he had not time to note his assailants particularly, but saw that they were roughly dressed, and from the few gutteral words they uttered

EVIDENTLY CHINESE.

An attempted murder at so early an hour in the evening in Victoria is hard to imagine, and especially so when the victim is an almost entire stranger. The only theory advanced is that Captain Marden being an important witness in the Chinese case highbinders have been employed to give him his quietus. He is a man over six feet in height, rather spare in build, but would prove a powerful opponent in a fair struggle.

THE POLICE

were at once communicated with, and strenuous efforts are being made to discover the would-be assassins. This outrage is one more fact to prove that there is an element in our midst who will resort to the worst crimes in the calendar in order to gain their ends and defeat justice. It is to be trusted that they will be apprehended and strict justice meted out to them.

BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. — Mr. Chas. S. Jones, assistant manager at Victoria of this bank, and for 21 years in its service in this province, has resigned, and will shortly leave for Scotland to reside there permanently. Mr. Jones has proved a most efficient and valuable officer and his departure will be greatly regretted by his associates in the management of the bank as well as the public generally, among whom he has many friends.

WE are requested by a marksman who was present at the butts on Saturday afternoon to contradict the item in Sunday's issue stating that firing was continued as the steamers passed the range. All shooting was stopped to allow both steamers to pass so that there was no danger of a shot striking the vessels.

FOR COMOX AND SEYMOUR NARROWS.—The recently appointed immigrant guide, Mr. McNeil, will leave to-morrow morning on his second trip up the east coast of the island. Parties wishing to avail themselves of his services can communicate with him at the immigration office this afternoon, or meet on board steamer Amelia to-morrow morning.

ROUTE DISCOVERED.—Mr. W. M. Halpenny, the immigrant guide, reached Nanaimo yesterday from Alberni, via Cameron lake. He reports a thoroughly practicable route for a road from Nor'west bay and Englishman's river to the Alberni settlement.

LARGE CIRCULATION.—Sunday's edition of *The Colonist* exceeded 1200 copies, being the largest number ever worked in a single edition, except that of last New Year's day, which numbered 7000. Of Sunday's edition upwards of 900 were served in the city.

FOR ALBERNI.—The immigrant guide will remain at Nanaimo till Thursday morning; parties, therefore, who are intending to go to Alberni for land will meet Mr. Halpenny to-morrow at Nanaimo.

NEW J. P.—Mr. Chas. Hayward, a very old and much respected citizen, has been appointed a justice of the peace for the province.

THE bricklayers on the new theatre building struck yesterday for $5 per day. They had been receiving $4.

THE *Weekly Colonist*, now enlarged to 64 columns; reduced to $2 50 per year. Send for sample copy. 2t

BASE BALL AND CRICKET GOODS AT REDUCED RATES AT FERGUSON'S.

What Some People Say.

That the New York Sun, at the close of a notice of the death of its life-time publisher, Isaac W. England, says: "Five years ago he took charge, as receiver, of the tangled affairs of Frank Leslie. He paid off $350,000 of debts, and at the end of three years he turned over to Frank Leslie's widow a property worth $1,000,000, and paying a handsome interest on that sum."

That subscriptions are rapidly pouring in to swell the fund started by Princess Louise for the amelioration of the condition of the troops engaged in putting down Riel's rebellion.

That Hall & Lowe, the Photographers, make a specialty of Tablet photos. *

THAT THE QUEEN CHOP HOUSE SERVES THE FINEST DINNER IN THE CITY FROM 4 TO 8 O'CLOCK. SUNDAY DINNER A SPECIALTY. FAMILIES ACCOMMODATED IN PRIVATE DINING ROOMS.

That in the days when the republic was young there were many fashionable dances which had such fanciful names as these: "The Flowers of Edinburgh," "Boston's Delight," "Haymaking," "Faithful Shepherd," "Love and Opportunity," "Innocent Maid," "Lady Hancock," "Merry and Wise," "Pea Straw," "Stony Point," "A Trip to Carlisle," "Soldier's Joy," and "I'll be Married in my Old Clothes."

That "No, sir!" yelled the grocer, as he shook his fist at a retreating customer, "he can't bulldoze me, I won't have it. No one ever called me a coward." "That's so," remarked a friend admiringly. "Everyone says you have lots of sand."

That fine photographs are being made at Peterson's ground floor studio. *

WHAT THEY SERVE AT THE QUEEN CHOP HOUSE-OYSTERS, LAMB'S FRY, CHICKENS, SWEET BREADS, CALF'S BRAINS, STEAKS AND ALL VEGETABLES OF THE SEASON. TELEPHONE CALL 58.

That a New York company has put on the market a portable electric light, the apparatus for which is about the size of a thick pocket-book, and weighs just half a pound. The first cost is $5, and replenishing the battery costs 12 cents. A light equal to about three candles can be sustained for four hours with each charge.

That the war correspondents of the Globe and Free Press, having written disparagingly of the troops in the field, have been turned out of Gen. Middleton's camp. The Globe is furious.

That Fenians are aiding Riel and directing his movements.

That there are no stairs to climb with babies at Peterson's ground floor studio, St. James' Hall, Government St *

That Jos. Wriglesworth, cor. Yates and Blanchard streets, has SAANICH LIME on hand and for sale in quantities to suit.*

That the feeling at Ottawa over the news from the Northwest was intense yesterday. The papers have issued extras, giving accounts of the battle. The newspaper offices were crowded all day, and the fight was the sole topic of conversation.

That the deputy minister of justice, Mr. Burbidge, will go to England to argue the liquor license case before the judiciary committee of the privy council.

That Hall & Lowe are "Lightning on Babies." *

That book and job printing and lithographic work of all kinds are executed at *The Colonist* office. *

"THE PLOT THICKENS."

Three Chinese Assault a Barrister Who is Employed in the Kwong Lee Case.

Last evening about 8 o'clock as Mr. W. Norman Bole, one of the counsel for the defence in the Kwong Lee case, was wending his way up Cormorant street, after a consultation with his client, he was jostled by a stalwart Chinaman who suddenly approached him from a dark recess. Mr. Bole pushed the man off and was startled to observe two more Chinamen spring from the same recess and advance towards him. The first fellow also sprang forward when Mr. Bolo struck him with his fist fairly in the face and knocked him in a heap into the gutter. A second Chinaman grappled with Mr. Bole who "downed" him, and the third ran away. While this was going on a crowd of 40 or 50 Chinese gathered about, but did not molest the barrister as he forced his way through the crowd and proceeded towards the Driard. Looking back, presently, he saw two Chinese dogging his steps. They followed him almost to the door of the hotel and then disappeared. Mr. Bole is of opinion that the blows aimed at Capt. Marden an hour later were intended for him.

Recent Weddings.

We have to congratulate our old friend, Mr. W. W. Dodd, of Lightning creek, upon his happy union with Mrs. Laura Beedy. The happy event took place at Cambridge, Penn,, on the 1st inst. Both bride and bridegroom are well and favorably known in this province where they have many friends.

The nuptials of Mr. W. H. Dorman, of the postal department, and Miss Jane H. Dickson, were solemnized yesterday by Rev. Mr. Stephen, of St. Andrew's church. The newly mated couple sailed in the mail steamer for San Francisco. They have the *The Colonist's* best wishes for a prosperous career.

From the Sealing Grounds.

Schooner San Diego, Capt. Carscat, with 215 seals; schooner City of San Diego, Capt. White, with 225 seals, and schooner Vanderbilt, Capt. Mayer, with 315 seals, arrived to-day from the sealing grounds and will sail in a few days for Behring Sea.

POINT ELLICE BRIDGE.—The design and proposal submitted by the San Fran. Bridge Company, of California, for the construction of a combination iron bridge to cross the Arm at Point Ellice have been accepted by the honorable chief commissioner of lands and works. The company is represented by Mr. J. McMullen, of Kamloops, who built many of the best bridges on the C. P. railway. The piers will be of iron against which the greedy marine worm will wear out his teeth in vain efforts to obtain a mouthful.

SUPREME COURT.—Sir M. B. Begbie and a special jury were engaged yesterday in hearing the case of Loo Choo Fan vs. Loo Chuck Fan (Kwong Lee & Co,) to establish a copartnership which defendant denied. The Attorney General and Mr. Wilson for plaintiff; Mr. M. W. T. Drake and W. N. Bole for defendant. The case for the plaintiff was not concluded when the court rose.

MR. H. PETERS, of the Empire brewery, is manufacturing a very choice quality of Weiner beer, a pale ale brand similar to the English imported.

SPLENDID residence property at the junction of Government and Douglas streets, for sale by Rand & Lipsett, Real Estate Brokers, Government street, Victoria. *

DOMINION LANDS IN B. C.

Their Survey to be at Once Proceeded With.

Capt. E. Deville, Dominion surveyor general, and Messrs. Otto J. Klotz, W. Ogilvie and T. Drummond, connected with his department, who arrived in Victoria on Friday last have come to this province for the purpose of surveying the Dominion lands along the line of the Canadian Pacific railway. They will also determine the longitude of Victoria with Greenwich. Seattle is the nearest point as yet determined, and the difference in time will be calculated between that place and Victoria and the information thus obtained. The longitude of Victoria has never before been calculated, and as it is regarded as an important point, it has been decided to establish it. A number of the instruments have been left at Seattle and an observatory will be erected there and one of the two astronomers of the party located at that point and calculations carried on by telegraph. The longitude of different points along the line of the railway will also be calculated. A small observatory will be erected on the Driard House lot for the purpose of making the observations here. The various instruments have been somewhat damaged in transit, and it will be nearly a week before real work is commenced. A commission will be held this morning by Capt. Deville and his associates for the purpose of examining candidates wishing to qualify themselves as Dominion land surveyors. This is in order to enable those competent to take part in the coming surveys of Dominion lands within this province.

After all arrangements have been completed here Capt. Deville and party will proceed to Port Moody and locate the line from which operations will be based in surveying lands. The same system will be followed as that in existence in the Northwest. Lands will be divided into townships, sections and quarter sections; the latter will probably consist of 166 acres, the additional acres being intended as a reserve for public roads.

Capt. Deville expects that the greater part of this year will be occupied in locating the basis of operations though a quantity of the land may be surveyed. Next year, however, it is anticipated that the greater part of the work will be completed and Dominion lands defined. This will be a source of gratification to a long suffering people.

Capt. Deville and his associates are gentlemen of the highest scientific attainments, and their efforts will undoubtedly add much valuable knowledge to what is already known of the province.

Marine.

Steamer Sardonyx, from Hongkong, and bark Cambrian Prince, from London, arrived Sunday. The Cambrian Prince brings a cargo of steel rails and 200 tons general merchandize for Victoria consignees.

Ship Robert Dixon, with Nanaimo coal, sailed Sunday.

The ship Cambrian Prince has gone into Esquimalt harbor, where she will discharge powder to-morrow. As she draws too much water to permit of her entering Victoria harbor the cargo will be sent round in lighters, and work of discharging will be commeneck on Wednesday. The rails for the Island railway will be discharged at Oyster bay, where a wharf is being constructed.

German bark Mathilde, Capt. Krenziene, 25 days from Honolulu, arrived yesterday. She is consigned to Robert Ward & Co., and will load timber for that firm for Australia.

Steamer Wilmington, with thirty passengers and a cargo of coal, sailed yesterday from San Francisco.

The Wilmington will sail hence on the 22d inst.

The steamship Sardonyx, Capt. Bucknam, arrived from Hongkong on Sunday morning, having been 28½ days on the voyage. She had about ninety tons of freight, principally rice, for Chinese merchants. The Sardonyx had her bottom cleaned and painted white in Hongkong. That port was being strongly fortified in anticipation of the Anglo-Russian war shortly before the steamer left. A Russian cruiser, which was in the harbor, left suddenly, and an English war vessel also weighed anchor to keep the latter company. Several vessels were to sail for this port shortly after the Sardonyx left Hongkong.

The White Cross line Belgian steamer Helvetia, with a general cargo, which started from Antwerp April 23d for Montreal, sank off Scatterie, Cape Breton, on Saturday. This is the fourth steamer which that line has lost in as many years. Only thirteen months ago the Daniel Steinmann crashed on the rocks at Sambro Islands, and 124 lives were lost. A remarkable coincidence is that Captain Schoonhaven, who commandad the Daniel Steinmann, was also in command of the Helvetia, and this was the first passage across the Atlantic which he has made since the wreck of the Steinmann. The Helvetia arrived in the Gulf of St. Lawrence over a week ago, and has been knocking about in the ice for seven or eight days. Her bows were stove in and she was otherwise damaged by the ice. She was leaking badly, and on Friday Capt. Schoonhaven left Cape Ray and bore up for Sydney, having all he could do to keep the ship afloat. On Saturday a heavy sea sprang up, and he hailed the Allen line steamer Arcadian, which was passing. The Arcadian took the Helvetia in tow and headed for Louisburg, but had not gone far before Capt. Schoonhaven called he was sinking. Boats were lowered and the passengers and crew got into them as soon as possible, but none too soon. The last boat hardly got clear before the Helvetia careened over and sunk.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—Cleared—Steamer Barnard Castle, Nanaimo.

SCHOOL BOARD.—The regular monthly meeting of the board of school trustees will be held this evening, at eight o'clock, at the City Hall.

YOUTHFUL DEPRAVITY.—A lad of ten years of age was arrested yesterday charged with stealing a silver watch from the vest of one of the city workmen on Bay street. When arrested the watch was found on his person. This is the second theft by the same urchin, who has a mania for thieving.

THE alarm of fire last evening was caused by the ignition of a kitchen attached to a Chinese house on Fisgard street. A few buckets of water quenched the flames.

THE death of Col. Kennedy of Winnipeg, who commanded the Canadian voyageurs in Egypt, is announced. He died in London of small pox.

THE town of Farwell on Columbia river was wholly destroyed by fire on Thursday last.

CIVIC IMPROVEMENTS.

What the Street Committee and Civic Officers are Doing.

Our city council is composed altogether of practical business men, and they are prosecuting the work of the city in a business-like manner, as is evidenced by the works at present under way. The duties that they perform are of course without reward, and the manner in which they are prosecuted reflects credit on the ability of the council and the wisdom of the ratepayers who placed them in power.

THE ROCK CRUSHER

and steam drill have been utilized to good advantage this year. For some months past the steam drill has been engaged at Marvin's hill in getting out metal for macadamizing the streets. A gang of about fifteen men was constantly employed working the engine and drill, removing the rock and reducing it to the size required by the crusher.

1,700 YARDS OF ROCK

have been taken out and piled up, the hill being pretty well cut down to its proper grade. The cost of the rock per yard is $1 50, including all expenses in running the drill. Hand labor last year in blasting rock cost $3 per yard.

Last week the steam roller was moved from Marvin's hill to Bay street, and the rock crusher from head of Yates street to the same place. Governors were placed on the engine, and yesterday morning the work of crushing the rock left from last year was begun. A force of six men are required to run the engine and crusher. These are paid $2 50 per day. Hand labor has been paid $1 25 per yard for breaking stone. The crusher averages 60 yards per day, and also crrries the material to the carts, which was an extra cost with hand labor. The rock is being crushed

ON BAY STREET

to clear the way in order to enable the operation of blasting the whole width of the street to be carried on. The metal is at once carted away and placed on Government street as far as its junction with Douglas. The steam drill will be kept in Johnson street ward for the next three months, it being the intention to open Bay street, Rock Bay avenue, and also blast the piece of rock on John street, above Heathorn's tannery. Seventeen men are engaged on Bay street running the machines, grading the street and carting the rock, five horses and carts being employed.

AFTER THE FIRST OF AUGUST

the crusher will be kept going continually, as it is intended to thoroughly macadamize Government and Douglas streets and the Dallas road to the outer wharf. The rock will be distributed just before the rainy season, the roads being first rolled, the metal then placed on, sand and light gravel next, and re-rolled. This it is calculated will make a splendid roadbed.

IN THE WORK ESTATE

King's road is being graded by contract. A good portion has already been completed, though a very poor grade has been secured, the houses on the upper side being fully six feet above the level of the street. There has evidently been a miscalculation somewhere. This should be remedied before the macadam is placed on it.

On Second street, Work estate, a continuance of Blanchard avenue, a drain is being dug for the purpose of

LAYING WATER PIPES.

The connection is being made with the pipe on King's road, and will be a great convenience to the many houses that have been built up in this quarter of the city so rapidly.

A gang of men are also engaged in building the drain at the foot of Yates street to allow of the proper flow of sewage. A number are employed in repairing the sidewalks in various parts of the city, and five men are at work at Snider's hill lowering the main water pipe.

A new sidewalk is being laid on View street, north of Blanchard.

There are altogether between fifty and sixty men in the service of the corporation, while a large number are also employed by contractors on civic improvements.

H. M. S. Constance Coming.

The British man-of-war Constance arrived at San Francisco from Callao yesterday. As soon as she has coaled she will leave for Esquimalt.

CROSS SECTION AND PROFILE PAPERS AT FERGUSON'S.

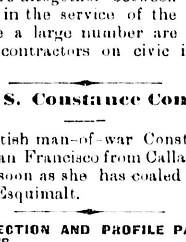
THE steamer Western Slope after a long rest, got steam up yesterday and moved down to the C. P. N. Co.'s wharf. She will replace the steamer Otter on the Burrard Inlet route, under command of Capt. Wm. Meyer.

RIEL.—We are indebted to Messrs. Ha & Lowe for a photograph of the rebel Riel.

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THE NORTHWEST WAR.

A Bloody Fight on the 10th.

Effective Work of the Gatlings.

The Rebels Mowed Down.

The Battle a Draw.

BATOUCHE CROSSING, VIA CLARKE'S CROSSING, May 10.—We left camp at six this morning, leaving all the tents and supplies behind. All marched seven miles without seeing or hearing anything of the enemy. The morning was bright and warm. Suddenly there came the sound of the steamer's whistle, blowing continuously. As we drew near we heard the sound of heavy firing in the direction of the river. Our line of march was as follows: First, Boulton's scouts, accompanied by gatling guns; the Grenadiers formed the advance guard, with a battery of the Ninetieth Battalion supporting them, with the Winnipeg and Midland battalion in reserve. Scouts and gatling guns were then pushed rapidly ahead, and soon came upon two houses near the bank of the river, which here is very precipitous, where an advance party of the rebels were met, and who fired and retired behind the house towards the hollow.

THE GATLING GUN

was brought to bear on them, when they ran into the house near the church of St. Laurent, which was also fired on by the gatling gun when they ran out into the bush. A battery by this time came up with a rush and got into position, sending several shells after the rebels. The Grenadiers now advanced, marching steadily into action and developed into line continuing to advance in skirmishing order till the church was reached, when a priest came out of the house waving a white flag. General Middleton and staff advanced and shook hands, when three other priests and five Sisters of Charity came out. A number of half-breed children were also inside in charge of the sisters. Father Moulin informed them that the steamer arrived at a point a little above Batouche at 5:30 a.m. The rebels immediately commenced firing on it from both banks. It shortly after

STRUCK ON A MUD BANK,

but swung clear again, and just before our arrival passed the crossing. He also said the rebels had six killed and twelve wounded at Fish Creek. We just got a glimpse of the steamer down the river. She must have had a hard time; the fire and smoke stack is gone. The Grenadiers advanced, skirmishing through the bush on the right of the trail, the gatling being pushed forward down the declivity towards Batouche, now plainly visible in the valley below. Here the battery unlimbered on top of a ridge, sending shells into them, and whilst doing so were almost surprised by a number of rebels, who crept up through the bush, not being discovered until twenty yards distant. They made a rush for the guns, firing and yelling as they ran. Captain Howard, who operated the gatling gun, saw the danger. He ran the gun a couple of yards in front of the battery, and, opening fire, literally mowed the rebels down. Those remaining turned and ran from it, reaching the shelter of the bush. These opened fire again, and Howard's escape from injury was something marvelous,

BULLETS FLYING ALL ROUND HIM.

He gallantly maintained his position, and the rebels, unable to withstand the terrible fire, returned to the pits constructed in the ravine running from the river. Our line was now as follows: 41st and 15th companies, of Midland, with Winnipeg A battery, supported by E and C companies of Ninetieth in centre, and extending across to right to where the Grenadiers were, supported on the left by B and C of Ninetieth, on right centre by F and C companies. The A battery occupied the left centre, afterwards returning to right arm.

CAPT. FRENCH AND HIS SCOUTS.

11 a. m.—As I write, Capt. French, with his scouts and part of the dismounted men of A battery, are down in a ravine, firing now continuously on left and centre, but scattered on right. After a gallant but vain effort to drive the rebels from the rifle pits the French scouts and battery men retired. The wounded are now coming in. At noon the list of

KILLED AND WOUNDED

on our side is as follows: A battery, Gunner Phillips, shot through the stomach while in the ravine, died while being brought in. Thomas J. Stout, run over by carriage, not fatal. Chappatier shot through both legs, one fractured. Guiness Fairbanks, Capt. Mason, No. 2 company, slight wound in thigh. French's scouts, R. Cook, slightly wounded in leg, Curly Allen in shoulder.

THE REBELS CEASE FIRING.

2 p m.—The rebels fire has gradually ceased. The troops, however, are still keeping up a scattered fire along the line, gradually slackened until 5 o'clock, when only a few dropping shots were heard. No more of our troops are hurt. Wm. Bruce, lately a prisoner of Riel's, but who escaped on Tuesday, was brought in by scouts. He says that Riel's force is little over four hundred, half of whom were on the other side of the river when he left. He also says that when the ammunition was served to the rebels only one keg of powder remained; bullets were also scarce. Women and children had been sent to the other side of the river.

PRISONERS ARE SAFE,

so far as we know. Beardy is not with Riel, but has been sent for. Riel, Dumont, Garneau and other leaders are in Riel's camp.

WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

6 p. m.—Bolton's horses have gone back to our corral to bring up all the wagons and supplies. We camp here tonight, Gen. Middleton being determined to take the position. Capt Young has just climbed to the roof of the church, and descried a body of Indians on the level, near the river bank about a mile away. The Winnipeg battery was ordered out and sent several well directed shells, scattering them immediately. Firing has now entirely ceased, but may be resumed at any moment. No news has been received from the steamer, but she keeps blowing her whistle; hence it is concluded that she is safe. The sound apparently comes from two or three miles down the river. Early in the morning crowds of women, children and mounted men were seen hurrying into the bush on the other side of the river. The weather was warm and bright all day.

THE FIRING RESUMED.

6.30 p. m.—A body of rebels has just opened fire from the bluff near the ravine on our left front, evidently on our skirmishers. They have fired three volleys, but are shooting too high to reach us. The Winnipeg battery, resuming,

ARE SHELLING HOUSES

in the distance, where a large number of rebels are gathered. A second shell crashed through the first house, and the rebels rushed out; another shell blew the roof off the house beyond. As dispatches leave, scattered firing is going on. Expect to clean out the rebels to-morrow, and communicate with boat later.

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AUCTION,

On Tuesday, May 12th,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

We have been favored with instructions from H. S. Roebuck, Esq., who is leaving the Province, to sell, without reserve, at his residence, Yates street, between Blanchard and Quadra, on the above date, all his Household Furniture and effects, comprising in part:—

PARLOR—Walnut Sofa, Spring and other Rockers, Marble top and Occasional Tables, Excellent Toned Square Piano, Leather Covered Easy Chair, Brussels Carpet, Lace Curtains, etc.

DININGROOM—Sideboard, Walnut Extension Dining Table, Lounge, Dining Chairs, Bookcase, Books, Table Linen, Carpets, Heating Stove, etc.

BED ROOMS—Bedroom Sets, Hair, Wool and Spring Mattresses, Bedding, Spring Cot, Singer Sewing Machine; Children's Cots and Bedding, Feather Bed, &c.

HALL—Stove, Hatrack, Stair Carpet, Hall Chairs, etc.

KITCHEN—Stove and Furniture, Wringer, Washing Machine, Meat Safe, Crockery and Glassware, and usual Kitchen and Laundry requisites.

ALSO—Splendid Dexter Spring Side Bar Buggy, Buggy Harness, Saddle and Bridle, lot of stable and yard sundries, Fowls, &c.

House open for inspection Monday afternoon, the day prior to sale, from 2 until 5 o'clock and morning of Sale.

TERMS CASH.

Jos. Wolf - - Auctioneer

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WE HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS from J. C. Prevost, Esq., Registrar of the Supreme Court, to sell by

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AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

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JOSHUA DAVIES,
my3 Auctioneer.

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G. BYRNES, AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION!

On Wednesday, the 13th May

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

I have been instructed by Mr. W. Shears to sell by Public Auction, on the premises, Menzies street, James Bay, all his Furniture and

HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS

CONSISTING OF:

DRAWING ROOM—Brussels Carpet and Hearthrug, Lounge, Easy and Rocking Chairs, Centre Table, Chess Table, Oil Paintings, Whatnot, Ornaments, Brackets Ottoman, Stools, Antimacassars, Cornices, Lace Curtains.

HALL—Linoleum, Hat Rack, Aneriod Barometer, Negrett's Thermometers, Hall Lamp, Child's Buggy.

DINING ROOM.—Brussels Carpet and Hearth Rugs, Walnut Extension Tables, Secretaries, Walnut Rocking and Dining Room chairs, Tilt-back Revolving Chair, Cornices and Creton Curtains, Fire Guard, Plated and Glassware, Dinner Set, Chinaware, Mirror, Eight-day Clock, Silver, Student and Patent Duplex Burner Lamps, Canary Birds, Osbourne A Sewing Machine.

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KITCHEN.—Linolum on floor, No. 8 Charter Oak Stove and Appurtenances, Meat Safe, Crockery, Tinware, Kitchen Table, Clothes Horse, &c., &c.

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Skobeloff's Plan for the Invasion of India.

Until the arrival of the Stolietoff embassy at Cabul, the idea of a Russian attack upon India was generally scouted in this country; and even those who urged the stemming of the Russian advance did not treat an expedition against us as a matter of the immediate present, but as belonging to the future. In Russia, military opinion was more advanced. While war was still undeclared against Turkey in 1876 and England was hoping that the conflict might be averted by peaceful diplomatic means, Gen. Skobeloff, then Governor of Ferghana, the Turkistan district nearest India, forwarded to Kaufmann an elaborate plan for a Central Asian campaign. Even when summoned to Europe to take part in the operations there, he used his utmost influences at court to put the Turkistan forces in motion, and finally achieved his object in sight of Constantinople, when after several councils of war, it was decided that if the Congress at Berlin failed, an attack should be made upon India.

Accordingly, Cols. Stolietoff and Grodeoff left the camp for Central Asia, the former charged with a mission to Shere Ali, and the latter, Skobeloff's oldest and most trusted friend, carrying Skobeloff's secret plans, and for himself the special appointment as chief of Kaufmann's staff. One other agent was also sent from the camp—Pashino, an ex diplomat who had served as interpreter at Samarcand to the present Ameer, Abdurrahan Khan, and possessed a knowledge of India from a journey he had undertaken through the peninsula a few years earlier. His mission was to proceed to India and secretly ascertain the condition of military and tribal affairs on the frontier, and afterwards push his way through the Khyber and join the Russian mission at Cabul.

The outcome of the enterprise is well known. Kaufmann marched with the invading force to Djam, on the Bokharan frontier, and marched back again when the treaty of Berlin became known. Stolietoff penetrated Cabul, and occasioned the Afghan War. Grodekoff returned to Europe by a famous ride through Herat, and is now acting Governor of Turkistan. Finally, Pashino was arrested at Peshawur, and spite of outcery, was sent back to Russia.

Most of these facts are known to the public, but Skobeloff's proposed plan of operations has never received due attention, even at the hands of those commonly supposed to be interested in Central Asian affairs. Briefly, the plan was this: Kaufmann was to have led an army to Cabul, almost denuding Turkistan of its garrison, and was to have there organized the Afghan forces for an attack upon India, while Russian emissaries stirred up the natives to mutiny. If the people failed to respond to the Russian appeal, Kaufmann was to tie the English army to India by threatening it from Cabul, and, in the event of a rising, he was to push on to the frontier, and attack the English on one side while the mutineers advanced and harried them on the other. Supposing the attempt failed, Kaufmann was to retreat, not upon Turkistan, in case the sight of his shattered forces should cause Bokhara to rise, but upon Herat and the Caspian; being met on the ways by a succoring army advancing via Askabad and Meshed.

Such was Skobeloff's daring scheme, the revelation of which, since his death, has exercised a remarkable effect upon the imagination of Russian Generals, and caused a longing to lead or participate in a campaign offering so many chances of distinction and glory. Had the Congress of Berlin failed, the impression is general among Russian military men that Skobeloff's plan would have been crowned with success. Their belief in the certainty of a mutiny in India is one that Englishmen will not generrlly share, and hence the probability of an actual irruption into India will be contested, but there is one matter upon which not much difference can prevail. The Afghans would have doubtless fallen in with the Russian plans, and by their co-operation tied the English troops to the frontier, thereby preventing re enforcements being sent to Europe. This alone would have been a success of no mean order, for it is no secret that Russia was greatly disturbed by the idea of Sepoys being dispatched to Turkey to assist in the defense of Constantinople.—From Marvin's "At the Gates of Herat,"

The Latest Train Robbery.

CINCINNATI, April 30.—At 11:30 o'clock last night, as train No. 3, leaving Louisville at at 7:40 p. m., was coming up Smithville hill, 85 miles from this city, a man entered the baggage and express car, in which Geo. Davis of Louisville was on duty as express messenger, and Peter Webber as baggage master. The man upon entering struck both men on the head, knocking them to the floor. Davis attempted to get up, but was shot in the head and fell insensible. Webber was commanded and got up at the muzzle of a revolver and was compelled to get the key from the wounded man's pocket, enter the safe and hand out the cash. He begged the robber not to shoot him, but as he lifted the last package the robber emptied the revolver into his head. The man then made his escape. The trainmen are now lying unconscious, and will not recover. There is no clue to the thief. A large amount of money was taken.

LATER—Webber died at 1 p. m. The amount of booty was $13,000.

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The four garetest Generals produced by the great Civil War on the National side were Grant, McPherson, Sherman and Sheridan. One of the most pleasant memories of American history is, and will forever be, the fact that between these four great commanders there was never the shadow of jealousy or envy. It is the highest honor that Grant ever received from men's judgment or admiration that these three able captains allwillingly and always looked up to him as their superior. McPherson fell in battle before the splendor of his abilities could attract the world's attention, but in his death Grant, as he declared, lost one of the greatest--perhaps, the very greatest--of his Lieutenants. Sheridan, as in right of his Irish blood, had the fiercest spirit in battle; Sherman the greatest inqention in council, while McPherson could fight with the one and plan with the other, but they all admitted, bedause they knew and felt, that "the silent gray-eyed man" was greater than they. "Why," I asked Gen. Sherman once, "did you and Sheridan always acknowledge Grant to be your leader?" "Because," he responded, in his quick, idiomatic manner, "while I could map out a dozen plans for a campaign, every one of which Sheridan would swear he could fight out to victory, neither he nor I could tell which of the plans was the best one; but Grant, who simply sat and listened and smoked while we had been talking over the maps, would at the end of our talking tell us which was the best plan, and in a dozen or two words the reason of his decision, and then it would all be so clear to us that he was right, that Sheridan and I would look at each other and wonder why we hadn't seen the advantage of it ourselves." "I tell you," he continued, after a moment's pause, "Grant is not appreciated yet. The military critics of Europe are too ignorant of American geography to appreciate the conditions of his campaigns. What is it to march an army from Berlin to Paris? Look at the shortness of the distance. Look at the multitude of roads. Look at the facilities of transportation. Consider how many times the same ground has been fought over by successive commanders. Is not every point of vantage known? What commander can blunder when all the conditions lie open to his eye? But I have seen Grant plan campaigns for half a million of troops alone a front line of 2500 miles in length, and send them to marching to their objective points, through sections where the surveyor's chain was never drawn, and where the commissariat necessities alone would have broken down any transportation system of Europe, and three months later I have seen those armies standing where he said they should be and what he planned accomplished; and I give it as my military opinion that Gen Grant is the greatest commander of modern times, and with him only three others can stand—Napoleon, Wellington and Moltke." Montreal Gazette.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE CITY Clerk's Office up to WEDNESDAY next, the 6th instant, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the following, viz:

Blasting Rock on west end of Putnam street.
Blasting Rock on Blanchard avenue.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, 24th April, 1885. my3

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AFTER this date, Wood Roofs will not be allowed on Brick Buildings within the Fire Limits.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, 24th April, 1885. ap25

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, ON AND after the first day of May next, Cattle and Horses will not be allowed to graze on Beacon Hill Park, and all Cattle and Horses found grazing there on and after that date will be impounded.

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NOTICES.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO APply to the Hon Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described timber land:—Commencing at a stake on the south-east corner of the section of land lately applied for by me, in Renfrew District; thence east, 80 chains; thence north, 120 chains; thence west, 320 chains; thence south, 160 chains; thence east, 80 chains, to the western line of land applied for by A. P. Bliss, containing 2,400 acres, more or less.

W. P. SAYWARD.
Victoria, April 21st, 1885. my3 1m

NOTICE.

SAMUEL DICKSON NESBITT HAS THIS DAY been admitted as a partner into the firm of Nesbitt & Co.

JANE A. NESBITT.
1st April, 1885. ap22 1m

NOTICE.

I CHUN WING FON, A PARTNER OF THE firm of Yee Wo, on Fisgard street, Victoria, hereby gives notice that no debts contracted by the firm of Yee Wo will be paid unless my signature, Chun Wing Fon, is endorsed on the order for the same CHUNG WING FON.
Victoria, April 25th, 1885. ap26 1m

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SITTINGS of the County Court of Cariboo will be held as follows:—

At Lillooet, on Monday, the 25th May, 1885.
At Clinton, on Friday, the 5th June, 1885.
At Soda Creek, on Friday, the 26th June, 1885.
At Quesnelle-mouth, on Friday, the 3d July, 1885.
At Richfield, on Monday, the 6th July, 1885.

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office
10th April, 1885. ap18 1m

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO APply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land in Renfrew District, as follows:—

Commencing at a stake at the northeast corner of Section two; thence north, 80 chains; thence east, 80 chains; thence south, 80 chains; thence west, 80 chains, to point of commencement.

ap22 2m WM. P. SAYWARD.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICAtion will be made to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, at its next session, by and on behalf of the settlers and owners of land situate at and upon the Matsqui Prairie, upon the Fraser River, for the passage of an Act for the relief of the said settlers and owners from the provisions of the "Sumass Dyking Act, 1878," and its amendment of 1883, and to annul and declare forfeited all rights and powers heretofore conferred by the said Act and amendment upon E. L. Derby, or his assigns, to collect assessments or interest from the applicants and to repeal such Act and amendment so far as they are concerned.

Matsqui, March 6th, 1885. mh8td

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NO. 116--A BY-LAW.

RESPECTING THE FIRE LIMITS, WOODEN BUILDINGS, AND THE STORAGE OF HAY AND STRAW.

IN AMENDMENT OF THE EXISTing By-Laws be it enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. Section 2 of "The By-Law for Prohibiting the Erection of Wooden Buildings, 1879, Amendment By-Law 1883" is hereby repealed, and in lieu thereof the following substituted:

"2 That portion of the City of Victoria which is contained within the limits hereinafter described, namely—commencing at the northwest corner of lot 127, thence running easterly along the northern boundary of the said lot to Store street, thence easterly across Store street in a straight line to the centre of Fisgard street, thence easterly along the centre of Fisgard street to the centre of Douglas street, thence southerly along the centre of Douglas street to the centre of Courtenay street, thence along the centre of Courtenay street to the northeast corner lot 8, thence along the northern boundary of lot 8 to the shore of Victoria Harbor, thence along the shore line of Victoria Harbor to the point of commencement,—is hereby declared to be within the Fire Limits of the said city."

2. No addition to or alteration of any wooden building within the said fire limits shall be made.

3. No building other than with main walls of brick, iron or stone, and roofing of incombustible material, shall be erected or placed within the said fire limits.

4. It shall be lawful for the Mayor and Council of the said city to authorize by resolution any officer therein named to pull down or remove any building which shall have been constructed or placed in contravention of this Bylaw; and all expenses reasonably incurred in pulling down or removing any such building shall be repaid by the owner or owners thereof to the treasurer of the said Corporation, and shall be recoverable with costs in a summary manner before the Police Magistrate or any other Justice of the Peace having jurisdiction within the said city.

5. In this Bylaw the word "building" shall not apply to any shed within the curtilage of another building and used exclusively for the storage of fuel for consumption in such other building, such shed not exceeding ten feet by twelve feet in superficial linear measure and ten feet in height, nor shall it apply to any shed erected or to be erected wholly on or over the wooden piles of a wharf on the water front; but no shed shall hereafter be erected on any wharf within the said fire limits other than with roofing of incombustible material.

6 The quantity of hay or straw or hay and straw permitted to be stored or kept for sale or use in any building within the fire limits shall not exceed the following, namely:

For every Livery or Hack Stable, 15 tons.
For storage or sale, 15 tons.
For private consumption, 2 tons.

7. Every Bylaw or portion of a Bylaw which is inconsistent with any provision of this Bylaw is hereby repealed.

8 This Bylaw may be cited as the "Fire Limits and Wooden Building By-Law, 1885."

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of April, A. D., 1885.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 22nd day of April, 1885.

[L.S.] R. P. RITHET, Mayor.
JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C. ap24

NO. 117---A BY-LAW

TO AMEND THE BUILDINGS REMOVAL BY-LAW, 1884.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. Section 3 of the Buildings Removal By-Law, 1884, is hereby amended by striking out the word "Application" in the first line and substituting the word "applicant" therefor, and by striking out "$5" and substituting "$10" therefor.

2 Section 4 of the said By-Law is hereby amended by striking out the words "one hundred" between the words "least" and "dollars" and substituting the words "two hundred and fifty" therefor, and by striking out all the words after the word "dollars."

3. Section 5 of the said By-Law is hereby amended by striking out the words "any person moving" at the commencement thereof, and substituting the words "every person who has obtained permission as aforesaid to remove."

4. The said By-Law is hereby further amended by inserting therein the following clause as section 6 and by striking out the figure 6 and substituting the figure 7 at the commencement of the section now numbered "6" Every permission to remove any building as aforesaid shall state the number of days within which such removal is to be effected; and every person to whom such permission shall have been granted who shall fail to complete the removal therein sanctioned within the time therein limited therefor shall forfeit and pay to the Treasurer of the said Corporation the sum of $10 for each and every day or portion of a day that he shall be in default in the premises, and in every such case it shall be lawful for the Mayor or a majority of the Street Committee of the Council of the said City to cause the building to be removed from any street or public thoroughfare and all costs and expenses attending such removal shall be repaid by the owner or owners of such building to the Treasurer of the said Corporation, and shall be recoverable with costs in like manner as any penalty incurred for the breach of a By-Law.

5. This By-Law may be cited as "The Buildings Removal Amendment By-Law, 1885."

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of April, A. D. 1885.

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Plumper Pass	12 M.	.....	.....	.....	12 M.	.....
Granville, Moodyville, Pt Moody	.....	5 A. M.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chilliwhack	12 M.	.....	.....	.....	12 M.	.....

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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
17th April, 1885.

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has, under Section 183 of the "County Court Jurisdiction Act, 1885," directed that the said Act shall come into force on 11 day of May next.

By Comman
JNO. ROBSON,
ap25 2w Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE

HAVING SOLD OUT MY BUSINESS OF HORSEshoeing and General Blacksmithing to Messrs. Sullivan & McTeigh, I take this opportunity of thanking the public of Victoria for their patronage in the past, and would bespeak for my successors a continuance of the favors so liberally bestowed on me.

I will in future confine my attention to the practice of my profession of Veterinary Surgeon, with my office at the old address.

JOHN MORLEY.
Victoria, 17th April, 1885. ap18

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Candidates for the Higher Grade (Qualifying) are not required to pass the Lower Grade (Preliminary) Examination.

Applications for admission must be made to the Secretary not later than the 15th of April.

P. LESUEUR,
Comm'r and Secretary to the Board.

Board of C. S. Examiners,
Ottawa, 16th March, 1886. law

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Arrives at Portland at	4.15 p.m.
Leaves Portland at	1.30 p.m.
Arrives at Walla Walla at	4.55 a.m.
Arrives at Helena, Mon., at	7.50 a.m.
Arrives at St. Paul, Minn., at	12.30 p.m.

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Arrives at Victoria at	12 00 m.

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S. DUCK,
Minister of Finance.

Treasury Department,
Victoria, 18th April, 1885. ap22

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAND ACT, 1875.

In Re JOHN MORTON, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THREE months after the day of the date of this notice application will be made to the Honorable Mr. Justice Crease for an order authorizing the Issue of a Crown Grant of the north east quarter of Section 4 (four) Township 5 (eight), New Westminster District, British Columbia, to William McKenzie. And all or any persons claiming to have any interest in said land are require to send their objections, in writing, to such order being granted to the Registrar of the Supreme Court, at Victoria, B. C., before the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, of which all parties concerned are hereby required to take notice.

Dated this 30th day of January, 1885.

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Application for his services to be made at the Immigration Office, James Bay.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
27th April, 1885. my1 1w

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